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In the Specification:

Please amend the specification to include the following paragraph [0001] and associated heading as follows:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

[0001] The present application claims priority from the France Non-Provisional Patent Application Serial No. FR n° 03 50018, filed in France on June 2, 2003, entitled "METHOD OF EXCITATION DURING AN NMR EXAMINATION," and incorporated herein by reference.